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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Applicants herewith submit an Information Disclosure Statement for the above-identified application.

Documents relating to the above-identified application are submitted herewith. These documents are intended for the Examiner's information and for citation with the instant case. This submission does not constitute either a representation that a thorough search has been made or an admission that the documents cited herein are properly citable against the above-captioned patent application. An attached PTO Form 1449 lists all the documents.

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- U.S. Patent No. 4,478,862 (Greethead)
- U.S. Patent No. 4,520,574 (Sugisawa et al.)
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